SHARTSIS FRIESE LLP ONE MARITIME PLAZA EIGHTEENTH FLOOR SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111	1 2 3 4 5 6 7	SHARTSIS FRIESE LLP ROBERT E. SCHABERG (Bar #81430) SIMONE M. KATZ (Bar #246490) One Maritime Plaza, Eighteenth Floor San Francisco, CA 94111 Telephone: (415) 421-6500 Facsimile: (415) 421-2922 Email: rschaberg@sflaw.com; skatz@sflaw.com  Attorneys for Defendants CorMatrix Cardiovascular, Inc., Robert G. Matheny, David B. Camp, and Beecher Lewis		
	8	UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT		
	9 10	NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA		
	10	SAN JOSE DIVISION		
	12	DUKE ADVANTAGE, LLC, a company,	Case No. C0729	950 RMW
	13	Plaintiff,	Santa Clara Superior Court Case No. 107 CV085326	
	14	V.		ON OF JOHN THOMAS IN
	15	CORMATRIX CARDIOVASCULAR,	SUPPORT OF MOTION TO DISMISS	
	16 17	INC., a corporation, ROBERT G. MATHENY, an individual, DAVID B. CAMP, an individual, and BEECHER LEWIS, an individual,	Date: Time: Courtroom: Judge:	August 3, 2007 9:00 a.m. 6 Hon. Ronald M. Whyte
	18	Defendants.	Juuge.	Hon. Rohald M. Whyte
	19	Defendants.		
	20	I, JOHN THOMAS, declare:		
	21	1. I am the Chief Financial Officer of CorMatrix Cardiovascular, Inc. ("CorMatrix"),		
	22	a defendant in this action, and was Chief Financial Officer of CorMatrix on or about February 9,		
	23	2004. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated herein and, if called as a witness, I could and		
	24	would testify thereto under oath.		
	25	2. I make this declaration in support of Defendants' Motion to Dismiss, filed		
	26	concurrently herewith.		
	27	3. Attached hereto as Exhibit A is a true and correct copy of the Subscription		
	28	Agreement made by and between Duke Advantage, LLC, on the one hand, and CorMatrix, on the - 1 -		
		Case No. Case No. DECLARATION OF JOHN THOMAS IN SUPPORT OF MOTION C072950 RMW TO DISMISS		

TO DISMISS

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other hand, entered into on or about February 9, 2004. I executed this Subscription Agreement on behalf of CorMatrix and that is my signature on page 10 of the Subscription Agreement. **Exhibit A** includes a true and correct copy of the Shareholder's Agreement by and between CorMatrix, on the one hand, and Purdue Research Foundation, Inc., on the other hand, entered into on or about November 16, 2001. Exhibit A also includes a true and correct copy of a fax coversheet wherein I faxed, among other things, the above-referenced Subscription Agreement to Mr. Robert LaDuca. That fax transmission occurred on or about February 9, 2004.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on June 12, 2007, at Marietta, Georgia.

/s/ John Thomas

JOHN THOMAS

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